

## APPENDIX A

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The following foreign reference has been cited by Applicants in the Information disclosure Statements filed 12-6-95, 12-12-95, 12-22-95, 2-6-96, 4-17-96 and 4-7-97.

Applicants have further included the following relevancy statement as well as an English abstract (in the case of foreign patents), thus meeting the requirements as set forth in 37 CFR 1.98 and MPEP § 609.

### For the Information Disclosure Statement filed 12-12-95:

**23 38 330      February 13, 1975      Germany**

This reference discloses television receivers that transmit control signals to a decoder/processor combination.

### For the Information Disclosure Statement filed 2-6-96:

**61-050470      March 12, 1986      Japan**

This reference discloses a program reserving device of a television receiver encompassing a control circuit displaying content of reservation and a means for supplying plural background pictures to a display patter of reserved content and changing the background picture to the 1st and 2nd states depending on the state of the reserved input.

**60-61935      April 9, 1985      Japan**

This reference discloses a video recording procedure by which programs selected for recording card are stored to a memory which actuates a built-in recording timer.

For the Information Disclosure Statement filed 4-17-96:

**2 058 681      June 15, 1972      Germany**

This reference discloses a television mode arrangement for transmitting, receiving, and presenting coded information.

For the Information Disclosure Statement filed 4-7-97:

**0 020 242      December 10, 1980      European**

This reference discloses a teletext character alignment process.

**0 046 108      February 17, 1982      European**

This reference discloses a integrated circuit interface between a television receiver and recorder.

**0 049 184      April 7, 1982      European**

This reference discloses a pocket teaching aid using a television receiver with a teletext system.

**0 055 167      June 30, 1982      European**

This reference discloses a teletext CRT display for messages from a composite memory.

**0 077 712      April 27, 1983      European**

This reference discloses a multi-channel digital packet television broadcasting system.

**0 078 185**      **May 4, 1983**

**European**

This reference discloses a digital packet broadcasting system using television transmissions.

**2 496 376**      **June 18, 1982**

**France**

This reference discloses a teletext display of data on the television screen.

**2 516 733**      **May 5, 1983**

**France**

This reference discloses an error controller for a teletext television decoder.

**2 823 175**      **November 29, 1989**

**Germany**

This reference discloses a teletext information display for television transmission.

**24 53 441**      **May 13, 1976**

**Germany**

This reference discloses a wideband signal transmission with digital to image signal conversion.

**DE 30339949** **May 6, 1982**

**Germany**

This reference discloses a method for the generation of teletext display having a color character contrast.

**DE 3112249** **October 7, 1982**

**Germany**

This reference discloses a processing signals from either a colored television receiver or from a video text decoder.

**DE 3020787** **December 17, 1981**

**Germany**

This reference discloses a television transmission system that sends extra data during a blanking period.

**WO 80/00292 February 21, 1980 Japan**

This reference discloses a decoder for a television receiver that has a color component that splits signals and recombines the signals into a composite drive current signal.

**WO 83/00789 March 3, 1983 Japan**

This reference discloses an image display unit which displays received image signals via a memory, wherein the image signals include teletext displays of weather reports or television programs.

**Graf, P.H., "Antiope-Uebertragung fuer Breitbandige Videotex-Verteildienste," 1981.**

This reference shows an Antiope demodulator/detector.

**Heller, Arthur, "VPS - Ein Neues System Zuragsgesteurten Programmanfzeichnung, Rundfunk technische Mitteilungen, pp. 162-169.**

This reference discloses a decoding system for use with a VCR.

**Marti, B et al., Discrete, service de television cryptee, Revue de radiodiffusion - television (1975), pp. 24-30.**

This reference discloses an analog decryption system.

**Strauch, D., "(Las Media De Telecommunication Devant la Rapture. Les Nonvellas Methodes Presentees a L'Eposition International 1979 de Radio (Et Television)) 1979.**

This reference is a discussion of videotext, teletext, cefax, oracle, and antiope.